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REMARKS

HONORABLE SIR:

Responsive to the official communication, Applicant submits the following Request for Continued Examination and Remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond the three month extension provided for in documents accompanying this Amendment. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account 20-0823.

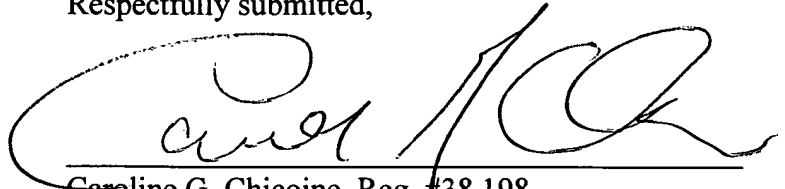
Request for Interview

Applicant is in the process of creating a prototype of the invention which it believes can help better demonstrate the differences between the invention and that disclosed in Japanese Patent No. 06-108,309. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests an interview with the

Examiner prior to the issuance of an Office Action in the RCE application so that Applicant can forward the prototype to the Examiner and discuss these differences.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Request is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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